

BOSTON MARKET REVIEW

For Week Ending January 20, 1922

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and Crop Estimates)

DAIRY & POULTRY PRODUCTS

Trading has been much better this week but still shows the cautious attitude of the market, sales being mostly for small lots and not over a week's needs and at a time. The influence of supply and demand has been well illustrated by the very egg prices have ranged recently, with prices dropping steadily until consumers started up and prices gained nearly daily with the increasing trade. Westerns went down to 45-52 cents, while western fresh jumped from 35 cents to 42-45 cents. Cheese has also shown a considerable demand, these advancing to 26-28 cents. Butter prices also recovered a part of their loss, fresh extra (No. 2 score) bringing up to 37 cents and closing at 36-37 cents, while northern prints have been actively wanted at 34-35 cents. Western fresh and storage has held steady at 24-25 cents. Cheese has not changed, good grades bringing 21-23 cents and the prepared lots sold at 22-24 cents, but the market in none too strong in view of prices at butter prices. Arrivals of both fresh and live poultry have been much smaller, the doubt being in sales starting to

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25 cents bushel, respectively, with parsnips at 15 cents lower at 51 cents. Potatoes sold at 15 cents lower at 75 cents \$10.0 a bushel. A little hothouse corn at 25 cents a bushel. Florida green peppers a pound at \$3.00-4.00 a crate. Florida strawberries 25 cents higher at 65-75 cents quart. Native hothouse tomatoes unchanged at 25-30 cents a pound.

RECEIVED AT THE MARKET

DRESSED MEAT MARKET

Trading at Brighton was slow during the week with light receipts. Prices were steady for steady cattle, with good and medium steers and oen \$4.50-4.50 a cwt. and 400 pounders 25 cents higher at 15-16.00. Choice canner cows sold largely from \$2.25-2.50 per 100 pounds. Veal calves were steady at \$2.00 per 100 pounds. Light lights lot going at \$14.00-15.00 per 100 pounds under good demand. Bulk of chickens sold at \$2.00 per 100 pounds. There was no sheep offered.

Idaho wool growers sold a million pounds of wool, pooled from last season's clip at auction. Prices obained in the sale ranged from 21-22 cents to 30 3/4 cents a pound. Most of the wool was purchased by Bonanza Farms.

Births in the state of Massachusetts in 1920 were more numerous by 56302 than in 1919, according to the report of secretary of the Commonwealth Cook. Births in the state in 1920 numbered 51,939. Deaths numbered 47,676. Divorces granted in the state in 1920 numbered 3367, an increase over 1919 of 1255. Deaths also showed an increase of 1287 over

The annual report of Harbor Master Edwin Lord shows that in the 282 days of navigation on the Penobscot in 1921 there arrived at Bangor a total of 447 vessels of all classes, aggregating \$22,290 gross ton. Ship tonnage has declined 75 per cent in 30 years, and is insignificant compared with what it was in the years prior to 1900.

Union leaders in conference with officials of the Central Vermont railroad recently rejected proposals for wage advances. A reduction ranging from 8 to 20 per cent was sought by the railroad and the labor representatives made a counter request for a 5 cents an hour increase. The question will be referred to the United States labor board.

George W. Brown of Lawrence, Mass., who served in the navy under the assumed name of Frank Dennings during the Civil War, has just received his first pension check from the

establish his claim. When only 16 years old he went to a recruiting office in New York City and attempted to enlist. The officer told him that the lists were all made up and that Frank Dennings was the next name to be called. Brown then arranged with the officer to slip him in under that name and he served throughout the war on the Dumbarton and other vessels.

Assessor Arthur L. Hawkes of Templeton, Mass., says that if the State wishes to locate a new State prison, there is no better location in the State for such an institution than in Templeton. "West of the farm of John H. Putnam, on the road from Templeton to Baldwinville, is a tract of 200 acres that would be an ideal location for such an institution," said Assessor Hawkes. "It is reached by the Boston & Albany and Boston & Maine Railroads. It is the most healthful location in the State."

Greatest Pleasure in Life.
The winning of a beautiful kimono was stated to be the greatest pleasure of 860 women of Tokyo, in response to a questionnaire sent out by the Hochi, a Tokyo daily. Attending the amateur game next with 720 women of their great joy. One hundred and fifty women answered "visiting friends" as the greatest satisfaction of life. The more simple-minded 100 maidens replied that "good things to eat" were the greatest source of their heart's delight. The more sophisticated 50 answered "beauty of nature" as affording them the maximum pleasure. Only 80 women confessed their greed for wealth.

Historic Telephone Dates.
The first switchboard for commercial use was installed January 23, 1878, at New Haven, Conn., with eight connected telephones, and that same year the first public pay station was established at Bridgeport, Conn.

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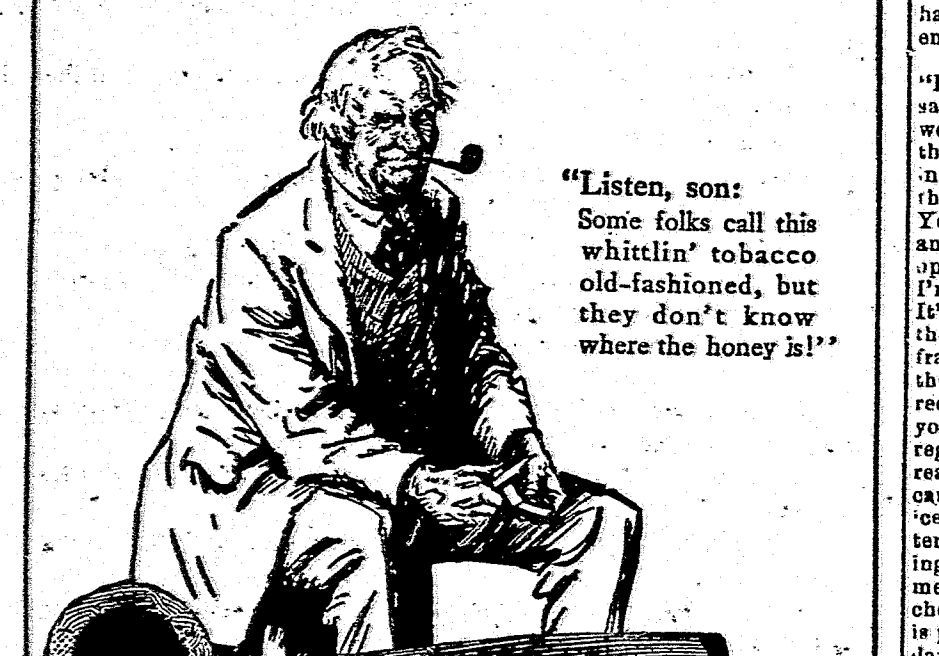
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HOMEMAHERS' COLUMN

Correspondence on topics of interest to the ladies is welcomed and published. Write to Mrs. M. J. O'Connell, 100 South Paris, Me.

Marry a Shoplifter?

By RAY BAKER.

As a department store detective, Bob Jacobs felt that he would make an excellent husband. He had always thought himself a pretty fair sleuth, but since the store manager told him away from the Jenkins agency, he had not been a huge success. Almost with the beginning of Bob's services at the store, the detective started. That was four weeks ago, and it seemed that the shoplifter was becoming bolder. More and more articles were being missed, some of them such trifles as handkerchiefs, but all representing a commercial value. Finally, Mr. Elston called Bob into his private office and asked him how about it.

"You've been with us about a month, Mr. Jacobs," said the proprietor, "and for about the same length of time systematic shoplifting has been going on. Before we engaged a detective we had no trouble with thieves, but now that we have one the shoplifting has increased. We thought it was the proper, up-to-date thing to have a house detective, and that was the reason we hired you. Now, what is the matter with this?"

"I have a fairly comprehensive list of the articles stolen, and the aggregate of value is quite impressive. The articles cover a broad scope for instance, here is a 25-cent rag doll, a silver vase, a two-cent whistle and a man's necktie."

"I've done my best," retorted Bob, "but I'll keep at it. I, too, have a list, and a wide variety of articles taken that they offer absolutely no clue. If I do not catch the culprit within a week I shall tender my resignation!"

"You're shopping," Bob told the proprietor. "I've been in a brown suit walked into the notion department. His mind was so preoccupied that he almost ran into his sister Hazel and his fiancée, Clara Summers. 'How's shopping?' he asked. 'I'm in preparation for the hard times party. Most of the girls from school are going.'"

"They were both pretty young ladies, although of distinctly different types. Hazel was a blonde and she dressed in becoming black; while Clara was a pronounced brunette and was garbed in blue, carrying a parasol to match."

"No, that's a variation though, I said. I never use old-fashioned types. I have that same kind of a family. Instead I use boiled dressing. Perhaps you would like my simple recipe, subject to revision, with its fairly pink covering. Your thousand island dressing is the best I have ever tasted: every time I eat it, it seems better than the last time."

"Perhaps it is," I smiled knowingly. "You see, it is never twice the same. 'But I don't understand it is hard to make—' that dreadful old mayonnaise!—but my family will not eat oil in dressing!"

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"He's looking into your window!" "Are they bathing upstairs or ballet costumes?"

She-Why, John, do you think anybody would show themselves in such bathing suits? There are evening gowns."

Most Destructive Earthquake. The damage done by an earthquake is generally limited to a small area, but the great quake that occurred in Assam, in 1897, was destructive over an area of 150,000 square miles.

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There is a joy in considering the old versus the new of those having other ideas upon their backs to bite 'em, the process continuing ad infinitum. Because out of the Far East comes the interesting intelligence that the Chinese have gone into the manufacturing of matches, and are so diligent and skillful in the business, that the Japanese trade is becoming fearful of the competition. The Japanese, the Cincinnati Enquirer states.

"Not so long ago the American markets were flooded with cheaper imitations of the cheap Swedish matches, which compete with the sturdier and more dependable flame-makers turned out as profusely in America. It was not thought that there could be made anything worse than the Scandinavian product, but when the Japanese fraud arrived, this view was revised sharply."

If it is possible that the Chinese have been able to make the matches at a lower cost than their Japanese rivals, then indeed they have accomplished the miraculous, and the world will applaud them for the feat. Apparently successful in their endeavor, four large factories at Tientsin had been needed to supply the demand, which is measured by the thousands of tons. If they are being shipped to this country, and undoubtedly they will be, it is to be hoped that the triumph over the low-grade Japanese imitation of the erratic and dependable Swedish splint has not been effected through the use of inferior materials, striking fire and holding it. Nothing could be worse.

HAS ADDED TO VOCABULARY

Gabriele D'Annunzio Is Credited With Making Important Addition to the Italian Language.

Commander Gabriele D'Annunzio has become a collector of words. Aside from having a special "Dizionario" dictionary compiled and published by some enterprising Italian publishers to assist his leaders in knowing the meaning of words not found in the ordinary dictionaries, the premier Italian poet and adventurer lets very few weeks pass without promulgating some new addition to the Italian vocabulary.

The former dictator of Fiume is in a quiet retreat. Various pilgrimages are made to him by men who are adventurers with him in the Quamero enterprise. Some of the words he has coined for a new name for cognac. He said: "There is but one name for cognac and that is 'tazette,' which signifies 'the very force of the wine.'"

He inquired how the people of Fiume were taking his suggestion that the name of Fiume be changed from Fiume to Tazette. The name of Fiume to Fiume, meaning 'the city of flowers.' The pilgrims stated the people of the town welcomed the idea and may adopt his proposal.

BUSY STREET CORNER SAFEST

Logical Reason Why There Are Few Accidents Where the Traffic Is the Heaviest.

"You must have lots of accidents here," said a friend of Traffic Commissioner Hanson the other day as they were passing one of the most congested corners of the city. "I'm not surprised either," he added as he saw a large touring car half a foot from a passing pedestrian.

The commissioner shook his head. "That's where you're wrong," he said. "Not only are there not more accidents here, but the number of accidents here is in proportion to the amount of traffic that goes by than almost any other place in New York. If you'll wait a minute you'll see the reason for it, too. Where the street is more or less quiet and deserted a person crossing the road is less apt to look for approaching vehicles. Where they are always passing, however, he is always on the lookout. The theory works both ways. While the pedestrians keep a close watch on the stream of traffic, the automobile driver keeps tabs on the conditions of pedestrians in his way."

On a comparatively quiet street both pedestrians and cars are exceptions and accidents are bound to occur."

Get One Chance to Marry.

During times of Albanian feuds, when amount to tribal warfare, women are married largely to outdoor duties. Marriage is a duty, and a girl is arranged upon the birth of a child. A woman exercises no choice, but has a veto power in respect to her husband. The Albanian man of the house is the patriarch, and his word is law. His parents' arrangement of a marriage is final; but, in that event, must take vows to remain a virgin, assume the status of a man, and in some regions marry another man, her rejected suitor. Her family must seek blood vengeance upon her male relatives.—National Geographic Society Bulletin.

Literary Lid Is Off.

Some of our story writers are running riot with their stories. Here are a few we gathered in our late reading.

"Her lips quivered like a light anemone." "He edged nearer to her until he was almost as close as the air in the subway." "His mind, like her face, was made up."

"He had dropped on her pallid cheek like seaweed on a clam." "He gazed anxiously at her face, the way a person a taxi gazes at the face of the